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VIA ELECTRONIC FILING

The Honorable Jocelyn G. Boyd
Chief Clerk and Executive Director
Public Service Commission of South Carolina
101 Executive Center Drive, Suite 100
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Re: Petition of the Office of Regulatory Staff to Establish Dockets to Consider
Implementing the Requirements of Section 1251 (Net Metering and Additional
Standards) of the Energy Policy Act of 2015
Docket Nos. 2005-385-E, 2020-264-E & 2020-265-E

Annual Informational Report Regarding Net Metering Customers

Dear Ms. Boyd:

Pursuant to Order Nos. 2009-552 and 2021-705, Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC (“DEC”) and Duke Energy Progress, LLC (“DEP,” together the “Companies”) file this annual report providing certain information regarding net metering customers from the previous calendar year. By copy of this letter, the Companies hereby report the following data to the Public Service Commission of South Carolina, the South Carolina Office of Regulatory Staff, and the South Carolina Energy Office:

	DEC	DEP
Total number of customer-generator facilities (as of December 31, 2021)	9,570 (9,569 solar customers, 1 wind customer)	1,877 (all solar customers)
Estimated gross generating capacity of its net-metered customer-generators (as of December 31, 2021)	104,167 kilowatts AC	22,415 kilowatts AC
Estimated total energy production of net metering customer generators (during 2021) ¹	133,105,000 kilowatt-hours	28,509,000 kilowatt-hours

¹ While the Companies have previously reported the estimated *net* kilowatt-hours received from customer generators, Order No. 2021-705 and the stipulation it approves direct the Companies to provide the *total* energy production, and the Companies are therefore providing that figure in this report.

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Kind regards,



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